

## KEENE AN EASY MARK

Doran's Daisies Rolled Up Score of 48 to 17 for Visitors

Boglio, Doran and Martens Threw 21 Baskets—Fastest Playing Was in the First Period.

Keene's basketball team met its first defeat of the season at the hands of the Brattleboro quintet Wednesday evening. Not only were the visitors defeated, they were snowed under and buried beyond all hope of resurrection after the first period. At no time was the home team in any danger of being caught and the game did not come anywhere near being so interesting as the opening contest last week. The final score was 48 to 17, Brattleboro shooting 21 baskets to Keene's 7. The remaining points were won on fouls which were plentiful on both sides.

"Jimmie" Doran had the same team as at the opening game with the exception of O'Keefe of Turners Falls in place of Davey at center. The tall man did not distinguish himself, missing several easy shots at the basket, but the famous McGulgan, said to be the best center in New England, only got two baskets off him. Hoggie, Doran and Charlie Martens ran a race to see who would wear out the basket faster, and secured eight, seven and six baskets in the order named. In the closing period Doran made a sensational run, shooting five baskets in succession in about as many minutes. Boggio scattered his freely throughout the first period with a hot run of three. Martens distributed his more evenly throughout the three periods. Stafford was up against Mathieu and although he got no baskets he did his full share in keeping his wily opponent from adding much to Keene's score.

None of the visitors showed up strongly unless it were in the ease with which they fouled. But both teams were frequent offenders in this respect, and Referee Dan Riley had to preach a short sermon several times on the evils of pushing and holding. The third period opened with a succession of fouls, two of them doubles.

Martens' eye was better for the basket than McGulgan's and in the three periods he contributed six points in about a dozen free throws. McGulgan raised his team score three points in about the same number of free tries.

Apart from the satisfaction which the big crowd took in seeing the home team win, the game was a satisfactory one. The first period opened briskly and for a few minutes looked like a close one. Boggio dropped in six baskets in the first 15 minutes after the close of the first period with the score at 12 to 6 there was nothing to do but guess on how high the score would be. The second period was a spiritless one as far as good play went, each side netting seven points. In the third period the game became decidedly rough. The last period was merely a continuation of the runaway. The score:

Brattleboro vs. Springfield Tuesday Evening.

The next game at home will be Tuesday evening when Springfield will contend here for a first try at state championship honors. The Springfield contingent will include Gion, McGulgan and Barraclough of last year's Newport team, Mathieu, Church and "Bucky" Law. This looks like a hot combination as all of them have played together and are strong team players as well as individual stars. Springfield has announced her decision to become a strong factor in the state championship this season and will attempt to break up the impression that the championship is a little private matter between Brattleboro and St. Johnsbury. Springfield will play St. Johnsbury the last of next week so a good comparison of the three teams can be seen. All the Springfield players have been on the local floor and the Brattleboro crowd knows what it is up against. It will be a hotter and closer game than either of the former two, but Manager Doran intends to make it three straight.

Gilbert L. Morse, Football Captain of Williams College.

Gilbert L. Morse of New York city, who has many personal friends among the young people of Brattleboro, was elected captain of Williams eleven for 1908 on Friday. Morse has been a large part of each summer in town for several years, first coming here with Chalmers Holbrook, now a student in Yale. Morse played in his class team in his freshman year and the past two years has been the regular center for the "varsity" eleven. He is a member of the junior class. The Springfield Republican says: "He has been a strong snapback and a consistent player in every department of the game, being very fast for a lineman and oftentimes breaking through the line and making brilliant tackles. In fact, his work in this line became so conspicuous as the past season advanced that at one period he was taken from center and given a trial at fullback, though the change did not remain in force permanently. Morse prepared for college at the Morris high school in New York, but had practically no experience in the game when he entered college. He has been popular with his fellow-players while with the student body he occupies a similar position."

St. Johnsbury has started the season with four straight winnings, in which 291 points were scored against their opponents' 64. Doyle threw 61 baskets in the four games.

St. Johnsbury has a new guard, George Henschel, who came with the Tamaqua, Pa., team last season. He has also played with the professional aggregations of Pittsburgh, McKeesport, Philadelphia, Camden, N. J., and with the Xavier and 23d street teams of New York city. He is a big fellow, weighing 185 stripped for playing.

The basketball teams from Gloverville and Flushing, N. Y., will play tonight in the armory in Hoosick Falls, N. Y., for \$100 a side and the championship of America. The Gloverville team includes Davey and Haggerty of the Brattleboro aggregation last season, the Wachter brothers, Williamson and Lennon. Gloverville on its own floor recently defeated Flushing by eight points.

Downie's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Coming Dec. 4.

With the possible exception of the all-star cast sent out of New York a few years ago, containing such artists as Blanche Bates, Wilton Lackaye and other stellar lights, Downie's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company which will come to the Auditorium Wednesday, Dec. 4, is said to be the largest and most complete reproduction of this time-honored and historic drama ever produced in this or any other country. Andrew McPhee, the veteran showman, owns this company and is with it himself, which is a sufficient guarantee that the performance will be first class in every respect and fully up to the ac-Phee standard. Do not miss the parade at noon. Matinee and evening performances.

## DENNISON'S CHRISTMAS GOODS

Christmas Bells, Garlands, Bell Garlands, Christmas Post Cards, Coin Cards and Envelopes, Holly Tags, Christmas Seals, Wax Sets, Candy Boxes, Glove Boxes, also assorted Holly Boxes in all sizes, suitable for Christmas Gifts.

## J. E. MANN'S

## Opening Display of Holiday Merchandise

Our Store is filled with Beautiful New Merchandise for the Holidays

The entire basement is given over to the display of Christmas Goods and with this added space we are able to show a much more extensive assortment than heretofore. Take advantage of our special offerings, and do your Christmas shopping early, the assortments are more complete and you can make your selection with greater ease.

## Christmas Linens

Nothing is more acceptable or practical for a gift than a rich piece of Linen. We have anticipated the demand and are showing a very extensive line of Hand Drawn, Hand Embroidered and High Grade Linens.

LINEN DOILIES, in all linen, damask patterns, fringed, in both round and oval and in sizes 6 inch, 9 inch, 12 inch, 18 inch. Prices

5c. 10c. 15c. 25c. SCALLOPED DOILIES in round and oval, all linen, embroidered, scalloped edge. Prices

10c. 15c. 19c. 25c. 39c. 50c. EMBROIDERED DOILIES, round, all linen, embroidered in conventional designs. In all sizes, 3 inch, 6 inch, 9 inch, 12 inch, 18 inch, 24 inch. Prices

12c. 15c. 19c. 25c. 39c. 50c. 75c. HAND EMBROIDERED DOILIES in eyelet designs, beautiful work, and very neat, attractive patterns; sizes 6 inch, 9 inch, 12 inch. Prices

25c. to 75c. RENAISSANCE DOILIES and TABLE MATS in a great variety of designs, in sizes 9 inch to 25 inch, and very special value. Prices

17c. to 75c. RENAISSANCE SCARFS and SQUARES, scarves 24x54, squares 30 inches and 34 inches, in several beautiful patterns. Prices

98c. to \$2.98. CLUNY LACE DOILIES, with linen centres, all trimmed with hand made lace, and a very good assortment; sizes 6 inch, 9 inch, 12 inch, 18 inch, 24 inch. Prices

25c. 50c. 98c. up to \$2.50. Linens

HAND DRAWN SQUARES in many beautiful designs, sizes 9 inch, 12 inch, 24 inch. Prices

12c. 25c. 39c. 50c. 75c. LUNCH CLOTHS, HAND DRAWN, in a great variety of patterns, some hand embroidered, 30 inch and 36 inch. Prices

\$1.25 to \$3.98. Rag Dolls and Unbreakable Dolls

BABYLAND—TOPSY TURVY—DOLLS; two dolls in one; first she is white and then black, with life-like face. Each

"STELLA" RAG DOLL, has patent face, the most durable Rag Doll ever placed on the market for the price. Each

AMERICAN MAID RAG DOLL, made to dress and undress, a very popular doll. Each

SAILOR BOYS AND GIRLS, DRESSED, 14 inches high and the "can't break 'em" kind. Each

DRESSED UNBREAKABLE DOLLS, effectively costumed in white dresses; some with double breasted reefers, red caps to match. Each

98c. and \$1.25. Teddy Bears

TEDDY BEARS, in several qualities and sizes, the most popular novelty on the market. Price

98c. to \$3.25. TEDDY DOLLS, the new novelty, made with unbreakable heads, life-like faces; made in white and cinnamon, from the best bear cloth; two sizes. Price

\$1.39 and \$1.75. Christmas Neckwear

FANCY STOCKS in rich combination of lace, chiffon and embroidery; also in embroidered silk and batiste; one in a box. Price

25c. and 50c. SWISS EMBROIDERED CUFF and COLLAR SETS, in the most beautiful assortment; all direct from the importer; one in a box. Price

25c. to 75c. SWISS EMBROIDERED TOP COLLARS and Tab Collars in beautiful assortment. Price

25c. and 50c. BEAUTIFUL SILK EMBROIDERED STOCKS and Top Collars; one in a box. Price

25c. and 50c. Waist Patterns

ALL PUT UP IN HOLLY BOXES, cut in required lengths of mercerized material—silk, flannel; plaids of all qualities, neatly tied with ribbons, for

59c. 98c. \$1.48 up to \$1.48. Leather Goods

Our Christmas Leather Goods Line is the largest and best values, we have ever offered.

POCKET BOOKS WITH BACK STRAP in seal grain leather, in real morocco, in real seal and walrus; sizes 5 inch to 9 inch. Prices according to size and quality.

25c. to \$1.50. LADIES' HAND BAGS, with fittings; all new shapes, made in grain leather, alligator, morocco, real seal, walrus. Prices according to size and quality.

48c. to \$3.50. Shell Goods

Our Christmas display of fine Shell Goods is very extensive and especially attractive for a Christmas gift.

THREE PIECE COMB SETS, comprising back comb and side comb, in plain extra heavy quality; also mounted combs in large variety; all put up in holly boxes. Price per set

48c. up to \$1.50. SIDE COMBS and BACK COMBS, in good plain quality; also in a large variety of jeweled and mounted combs; all boxed. Prices

48c. to \$3.98. BUFFET and BUREAU SCARFS in a beautiful large assortment, and the most beautiful line we have ever carried.

98c. to \$3.98. DAMASK LUNCH CLOTHS, in a beautiful assortment of patterns, some in hand drawn borders and others in rich drawn effects, all finished with full double hem, and cannot be equalled for value; sizes 36 inch to 72 inch. Prices

50c. 75c. 98c. \$1.25. \$1.39. \$1.48. \$1.98. \$2.50. \$2.98. DAMASK SCARFS for table board or buffet, in rich damasks with wide hemstitched hem; also with hand drawn border. The assortment is large and consists of many special values; sizes 54 inch to 72 inch. Prices

29c. 48c. 75c. 98c. \$1.25. \$1.39. \$1.48. \$1.98. \$2.98. TRAY CLOTHS IN DAMASK patterns, all pure linen, hemstitched, with double hem, and drawn effects in corners; sizes 20x28 inches; very special value.

25c. DAMASK TRAY CLOTHS in very extensive assortment of beautiful patterns, all hemstitched and many hand drawn in several sizes. Price according to size and quality. 39c. 48c. 75c.

Linen Towels

ALL BOUGHT BEFORE THE ADVANCE. THE PRICES ARE RIGHT.

PURE LINEN TOWELS in large variety of patterns, in damask; also in huck, in fancy and colored borders; all standard size, and very special values. Price

25c. HUCK and DAMASK TOWELS, in high grade, all pure linen and in standard size, in both fringed and hemstitched. Price

48c. HIGH GRADE TOWELS in beautiful damask hemstitched, full size and extra value. Price

75c. to 98c. Hand Decorated Boxes

CUFF and COLLAR BOXES, 50c. HANDKERCHIEF and GLOVE BOXES, 50c.

DESK RACKS for paper and envelopes, 50c.

MATCHED BOXES for Gloves, Cuff and Collar, Handkerchief, Necktie; also Desk Pad. Each

50c. Christmas Handkerchiefs

Our stock of Handkerchiefs is the most dainty and attractive we have ever shown. Our purchase in linens was made before the advance, and we are able to offer linen handkerchiefs in exceptionally good values.

Thousands of dainty Swiss and linen embroidered handkerchiefs are shown in an endless variety of patterns.

WOMEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, unusually fine quality, 1/4 inch, 1/2 inch, 3/4 inch, all strictly pure linen and made in both sheer and cambric weights. Price, each

10c. 12c. 15c. 25c. WOMEN'S LINEN INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS in several styles of initial, 1/4 inch and 1 inch hems, all strictly pure linen. Prices, each

12c. 25c. WOMEN'S INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS by the box. Pure linen, finely embroidered, 6 in a box.

75c. and \$1.39. WOMEN'S INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS—fancy plain weave—all pure linen; put up six in a box, two grades. Each

12c. and 25c. WOMEN'S HAND EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, all pure linen. Fancy plain weave, put up six in a box—very special value. Price by the box

\$1.48. LADIES' EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, pure linen; also in fine Swiss goods.

The greatest variety we have ever shown. Hundreds at each price, 5c. 10c. 12c. 15c. 25c. 39c. 48c. 75c. \$1.00.

Mufflers and Silk Handkerchiefs

LADIES' SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, in plain hemstitched; also in plain initial. Prices

25c. and 48c. Holiday Stationery

We are prepared with the strongest line of Christmas sellers we have shown. (Stationery for everybody.)

OXFORD STATIONERY, pebbled paper box, linen cloth stock, wallet flap envelopes, banded to match. Value 25c. Price

19c. IMPERIAL 25c. ASSORTMENT, in this assortment are twelve different designs to choose from. Some are fully worth 39c. Our price, each

25c. LINEN CLOTH STATIONERY, all put up in holiday boxes, all exceptional values, 39c. 50c. 75c. 98c.

CHILDREN'S STATIONERY in fancy box, lithograph picture top, good quality paper, envelopes, banded. Price

10c. and 15c. Toilet Articles

Suitable for Christmas Gifts

INFANTS' SATIN RIBBON CLOTHES HANGERS, hand painted; as dainty as useful. Price

75c. and 98c. BABY RECORD BOOKS, in two styles, satin covers and hand painted. Price

75c. and 98c. IVORY TEETHING RINGS on hand painted ribbon. Price

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48c. and 98c. INFANTS' TOILET SET, made in ivory, hand painted. Price

75c. and 98c. BABY'S TRINKET BOXES, made in one, two, three and four compartments, hand painted. Prices

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Made from Cretons

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SQUARE CRETON WORK BOX, 50c.

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SIX SIDED SEWING BAG, 50c.

FOLDING CRETON TRAVELING BAG, 50c.

DRESSING CASE, 50c.

FOUR SIDED WORK BOX, 50c.

SIX SIDED WORK BOX, 50c.

FANCY WASTE BASKET, 75c.

Hand Decorated Boxes

CUFF and COLLAR BOXES, 50c.

HANDKERCHIEF and GLOVE BOXES, 50c.

DESK RACKS for paper and envelopes, 50c.

MATCHED BOXES for Gloves, Cuff and Collar, Handkerchief, Necktie; also Desk Pad. Each

50c. Muffs

GENUINE ISABELLA and SABLE FOX pillow style and plain flat style, trimmed with tall and head. Price

\$8.98 to \$15.00. SQUIRREL MUDDS IN NATURAL GREY, also in sable squirrel. Price

\$7.98 to \$12.50. OPOSSUM and RACCOON MUDDS; pillow style; also in flat style, trimmed with heads and tails. Price

\$3.98 to \$10.00. WATER MINK MUDDS, flat style. Price

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12 BUTTON KID GLOVES, in black, white, tan and grey; made from cape stock. Very special value. Price

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\$2.48. WOOL LINED CAPE GLOVES in two qualities, very warm, serviceable gloves. Price

\$1.00 and \$1.50. MOCHA GLOVES, made in brown, tan, black and grey; extra value. Price

\$1.00. CAPE GLOVES FOR LADIES AND CHILDREN, made in tan and grey, the most serviceable and profitable glove to buy for winter wear. Price

\$1.00 and \$1.50. LADIES' STERLING SILVER BRUSH AND COMB SETS, very special values. Price

\$2.98 to \$3.98. BRUSH, COMB and MIRROR in satin lined box. Price

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98c. \$1.48 up to \$2.98. GENTLEMEN'S BRUSH and COMB SETS, consisting of military brushes and ebonized comb. Price

50c. to \$1.98. HAT and COAT BRUSHES to match, in sterling silver, for both men and women. Price

\$1.98 to \$2.98. MANICURE SETS, in a great assortment in plain and fancy boxes. Price

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98c. to \$2.50. TRAVELERS' WRITING TABLETS in saffron and morocco leathers. Price

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FOX SCARFS in SABLE and ISABELLA, trimmed with large brush tails and heads. Price

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\$11.50. RACCOON TROWERS, fur on both sides; also satin lined, several lengths. Price

\$3.98 to \$10.00. PELERINES and SCARFS, some made with satin lining, some fur on both sides. Price

\$7.50 to \$15.00. OPOSSUM SCARFS and PELERINES, both Sable and Isabella, some with satin lining, some fur on both sides; all lengths, 60 inch to 120 inch. Prices

\$2.98 to \$15.00. TROW SCARFS in OPOSSUM, fur on both sides; also satin lined, all lengths, in both Sable and Isabella. Price

\$3.98 to \$7.98. FOX SETS in SABLE and ISABELLA, the scarf trimmed with large brush tails and head and tail in back, muff in large flat style, trimmed with two heads and large brush tail. Price of set

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CHINCHILLA THROW and FLAT MUDD. Price

\$4.98. GRAY KRIMMER FANCY CRAVAT and FLAT MUDD. Price

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